

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT  
OF NORTH CAROLINA

MICHAEL CROWELL,	)	
	)	
<i>Plaintiff,</i>	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. 1:17-cv-515-WO-JEP
	)	
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, et al.	)	
	)	
<i>Defendants.</i>	)	

**NOTICE OF STATE COURT DECISION**

Since plaintiff filed his Plaintiff's Response Opposing Motion for Stay (Dkt 55) on October 15, 2018, the three-judge panel in Wake County Superior Court decided *Cooper v. Berger IV*. The court's order is attached. The panel held that North Carolina Session Law 2018-2 providing for a nine-member Bipartisan State Board of Elections and Ethics Enforcement, among other provisions, violates state constitutional provisions on separation of powers.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of October 2018.

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